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Farm value of principal crops, 1939, by counties, pp. 16-20; Grain and hay crops, by counties, pp. 26-74; Truck crop acreages, by counties, pp. 100-106.

Livestock data, by counties, are given on pp. 146-147, 150-156.

Monthly and annual precipitation data for Crop Reporting District

No. 7 (which includes Delta County), annually 1904-1940, are given on p. 157.

Length of growing season for the different counties is given on p. 162.

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Valley, 31pp.; Southwestern Colorado, 15pp.

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Colorado. World's fair board of managers. The resources, wealth, and industrial development of Colorado. 191pp. [n.p.] Press of G. M. Collier, 1893. 252.11 C71

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Dane, Carle Hamilton. Uncompangre Plateau and related structural features (abstract). Wash. Acad. Sci. Jour. 21(2): 28. Jan. 19, 1931. 500 W276J

Emmons, S. F., and Eckel, E. C. Contributions to economic geology, 1905. U. S. Dept. Int. Geol. Survey. Bul. 285 (Ser. A, Econ. Geol. 73), 506pp. Washington, D. C., 1906. 407 G29B no. 285

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Tables show records of stream flow of rivers and creeks which flow through Delta County, Colorado, taken at different locations for portions of the years from 1903 to 1927: Gunnison River, pp. 322-335; North Fork of Gunnison River, pp. 350-351; Leroux Creek, pp. 351-353; Surface Creek, pp. 353-356; Uncompanyer River, pp. 356-369; Escalante Creek, pp. 372-373.

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Maps of the state with county delineations are included. They show for the year 1919, unless otherwise stated: number of head of beef cattle on farms on Jan. 1, 1920; distribution of dairy cattle, all classes; cream shipping stations; creameries, cheese factories, and condenseries; swine production; distribution of swine on farms in 1920; sheep; chickens raised; eggs produced; corn acreage; wheat acreage; barley acreage; cats acreage; dry bean acreage; hay and forage production; alfalfa acreage; range pasture acreage; potato acreage; apple trees; peach trees; pear trees; cherry trees; acres in cantaloupes; lettuce acreage, 1923; acreage in truck crops, 1923; sugar beets.

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Mar. 15, 1924. 6 C833

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Sect. 4, pp. 9-11, is on county acreage allotments and goals. Sect. 7, pp. 13-27, is on soil-building practices, according to regions. Lists of counties comprised in each region are given.

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Includes 35 tables giving figures by counties and districts for different features of the AAA programs.

U. S. Dept. of agriculture. Bur. of agricultural economics. Div. of land economics. Water utilization section. Water facilities area plan for North Fork of Gunnison River and tributaries together with Surface and Tongue Creeks and tributaries, Coloradc. 189pp., processed, maps. Washington, D. C., 1940. 1.9 Ec76Wf [no. 22]

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- U. S. Dept. of agriculture. Forest service. Uncompangre national forest, Colorado. 19-page folder. Washington, D. C., 1935.
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Statistics for Colorado are given on pp. 99-111.

A county table gives data for each county on farms, area, investment in irrigation enterprises, and irrigation works, 1930 and 1920; areas irrigated, 1929 and 1919; tenure of farm operators and value of farms, 1930; and cost of maintenance and operation.

Statistics for each state have also been published separately.

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Contents of county tables:

County table I: Farms, farm acreage, and value, by color of operator, 1940, 1935, and 1930; farm land according to use, 1939, 1934, and 1929; and value of buildings and implements and machinery, 1940 and 1930.

^{*}Census reports for earlier years and for nanufactures, population, etc., have not been included in this list. They should be consulted for additional statistical material on Delta County.

County table II: Farms, 1940, 1935, and 1930; farm acreage, and value of land and buildings, 1940 and 1935; value of buildings and implements and machinery, 1940; and cropland harvested, 1939; by tenure of operator.

County table III: Number of farms, 1940 and 1935; farm acreage and specified values, 1940; and cropland harvested, 1939; by size of farm.

County table IV: Specified classes of livestock on farms and ranches, Apr. 1, 1940 and 1930, and Jan. 1, 1935; and specified livestock products, 1939 and 1934.

County table V: Specified poultry on hand, Apr. 1, 1940 and 1930, and Jan. 1, 1935; Chicken eggs produced and specified poultry raised, 1939 and 1934; chickens sold, 1939; and bees on hand, Apr. 1, 1940, and honey produced, 1939.

County table VI: Acreage and quantity of corm, sorghums, and small grains, harvested in 1939 and 1934; with specified items for 1929.

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